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Subject: RE: FW: bass stats
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Thanks Eric-

If there was re-analysis, would there be a reason it wasn't used in the Round 2 Report (e.g. for pikeminnow, sucker and peamouth? Would they be listed in the database as separate line items? The only values I could find were the same as what was reported initially in Round 1. I will try and look into it more.

-Jennifer

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I think we have congener data for the following species (whole body): Round 1: Crayfish, Sculpin, Bass, Bullhead, Crappie and Carp. Round 2: Clam tissue (field and lab) and lumbriculus (lab). We are also getting congener data for the Round 3A (sturgeon) and 3B (clams, crayfish, sculpin, carp and bass) sampling effort. I cannot quickly find the DHS sampling effort (sturgeon, lamprey and salmon) nor the juvenile salmon data so I do not know whether we have congener data.

It seems that we identified some interference issues a while back that required us to reanalyze all tissue samples for congeners. This is the standard protocol right now to get the detection limits we need. At this point, I am unaware of any data quality issues. Gina identifed the interference issue a while ago which is why the reanalysis was performed.

Eric

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FYI - smallmouth bass detection limits had similar issues (e.g. see 1254). We are getting new data for bass and carp (hopefully all congener data?), but we will have to figure out what this means for the other fish in Round 1 (we don't have congener data).

-Jennifer

[attachment "SmallmouthBassRisk.xls" deleted by Eric Blischke/R10/USEPA/US]